

1 SENATE BILL 1150

2 **48TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2007**

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10 AN ACT

11 MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR AN AVERAGE SEVEN PERCENT SALARY
12 INCREASE FOR TEACHERS AND EDUCATION-RELATED STAFF FOR THE 2007-
13 2008 SCHOOL YEAR.

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15 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

16 Section 1. APPROPRIATIONS.--The following amounts are
17 appropriated from the general fund to the following agencies
18 for expenditure in fiscal year 2008 for the following purposes,
19 and any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining at the end
20 of fiscal year 2008 shall revert to the general fund:

21 A. one hundred thirty-six million seven hundred
22 seventeen thousand six hundred dollars (\$136,717,600) to the
23 public education department for distribution through the state
24 equalization guarantee distribution of the public school fund
25 for an average seven percent salary increase for all teachers

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1 and other instructional staff, school principals and other
2 licensed and unlicensed staff, effective the first pay period
3 after July 1, 2007. The salary increase shall be applied prior
4 to implementation of minimum salaries for level three-A
5 teachers and level three-B school principals. Prior to the
6 approval of a school district's or charter school's budget, the
7 secretary of public education shall verify that the school
8 district or charter school is providing the average seven
9 percent salary increase;

10 B. three million one hundred seventy-two thousand
11 three hundred dollars (\$3,172,300) to the transportation
12 distribution of the public school fund. This appropriation
13 includes sufficient funds for an average seven percent salary
14 increase for transportation employees, effective the first pay
15 period after July 1, 2007;

16 C. one million eight hundred forty-two thousand one
17 hundred dollars (\$1,842,100) to the public education department
18 for an average seven percent salary increase for public
19 education department employees, effective the first pay period
20 after July 1, 2007;

21 D. five hundred eighty-two thousand one hundred
22 sixty-three dollars (\$582,163) to the department of finance and
23 administration for an average seven percent salary increase for
24 teachers in the department of health, the corrections
25 department and the children, youth and families department,

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1 effective the first pay period after July 1, 2007. The salary
2 increase shall be applied prior to implementation of minimum
3 salaries for level three-A teachers and level three-B school
4 principals; and

5 E. fifty-four million eight hundred ninety-nine
6 thousand two hundred ninety-five dollars (\$54,899,295) to the
7 higher education department for an average seven percent salary
8 increase for faculty and staff of four- and two-year public
9 post-secondary educational institutions, the New Mexico school
10 for the blind and visually impaired and the New Mexico school
11 for the deaf, effective the first pay period after July 1,
12 2007.